THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.ESWARAIAH

WRIT PETITION No.24303 of 2007

Between:

Jampana Suryanarayana Raju.

.. PETITIONER

and

The District Collector, Krishna District and others.

.. RESPONDENTS

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ORDER:

It is the case of the petitioner that against the order passed by the Tahsildar, Mudinepalli Mandal, Krishna District, in proceedings in Rc.No.D/641/2007, dated 12-10-2007, under Section 4(1) (a) of A.P.Assigned Lands (Prohibition of Transfers) Act, 1977 (for short "the Act"), in resuming the land admeasuring Ac.4-61 cents in R.S.Nos.740 and 742 situated at Vaivaka Village, Mudinepalli Mandal, Krishna District, on the ground that the possession of the petitioner in violation of sub-section (2) of Section 3 of the Act, the petitioner filed an appeal along with stay application before the 2nd respondent on 02-11-2007. It is stated that pending disposal of the appeal, the Tahsildar, Mudinepalli Mandal, Krishna District, is taking steps to dispossess the petitioner from the land in question.

As the appeal is pending, without expressing any opinion on the merits of the case, I am of the opinion that it is just and proper to direct the 2nd respondent to consider and dispose of the appeal itself.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of directing the 2nd respondent to consider and dispose of the appeal filed against the order of the 3rd respondent, dated 12-10-2007, in proceedings in Rc.No.D/641/2007, in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible. Pending disposal of the appeal, status-quo obtaining as on today with regard to possession shall be maintained. There shall be no order as to costs.

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16-11-2007

Prv